



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Akihiro YAMADA

Group Art Unit: 2625

Application No.: 10/631,784

Examiner: A. NGUYEN

Filed: August 1, 2003

Docket No.: 116766

For: IMAGE FORMING DEVICE AND NETWORK SYSTEM

**AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the January 10, 2008 Office Action and the April 29, 2008 personal interview, the period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, and upon entry of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) being filed concurrently herewith, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**